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WARM SPRINGS

FORTY-ONE YEARS OLD

NILES, ALAMEDA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,

THURSDAY MORNING, AUGUST 15, 1929

NO. 20

REV. SEEBART GIVES CLOSING SERMON ON SUNDAY

Rev. A. W. Seebart will preach his valedictory at the Niles Congregational church next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Communion service will also be observed.

No plans have been made to secure a successor to Mr. Seebart who leaves the 20th for Montana.

YEAR BOOKS FOR CLUB ARE BEING GOTTEN READY

Year books for the Country Club of Washington Township are being prepared by Mrs. J. E. Townsend and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry in anticipation of the annual fall luncheon to be given at the club home in Centerville, September 2. Mrs. William Wyatt, chairman, and her luncheon committee will have charge of this affair. Mrs. E. T. Chadbourne has been named chairman of the program committee for the coming year by the president, Mrs. Walter Robie. Other new chairmen are Mrs. R. L. Pond, music; and Mrs. Ed Hirsch, ways and means.

New Superintendent At Pottery Company

E. L. Smith, of Oakland, has assumed duties as superintendent of the local plant of the California Pottery Company in Niles Canyon, his predecessor, H. B. Brooks, having been transferred to the Oakland office. Eight new kilns for the manufacture of sewer pipe are under construction.

LOCAL ELKS TO HAVE DANCE AT GARDEN OF ALLAH

Alameda Elks will give a special entertainment for the Washington Township Elks' Association at a dance to be given at the Garden of Allah, Friday, August 30, as was announced at a called meeting of the local group held at the Florence restaurant Friday evening.

Oakland Ad Club Has Picnic Kilkare Woods

Members, families and friends of the Oakland Ad Club will have a picnic in Kilkare Woods next Sunday. Races, dancing, games and prizes will feature the occasion. Each family will bring its own lunch and coffee will be served by Mary Dowd Reardon, a member.

ONLY ROUTES OF HEATH'S DAIRY SOLD TO DOKE

Only the routes of the Ellis Heath dairy were sold to J. C. Doke, former cow-keeper for the Alameda County Farm Bureau, instead of the entire plant, as formerly reported.

Mr. Heath will continue to own and operate the dairy, disposing of milk in wholesale quantities only. Customers in the township will be served as usual.

COMING EVENTS

CAST THEIR
SHADOWS BEFORE

REGISTER'S FRATERNAL, SOCIAL
AND AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

August 7-11—Alameda County Fair, Hayward.
August 10—Welfare Club meets with Mrs. Carrie Emerson.
August 12-23—Registration at high school.
August 26—Niles Grammar School opens.
August 31-Sept. 9—Diamond Jubilee State Fair, Sacramento.
August 12—Alvarado. SCHOOLS OPEN
August 26—High school opens.
August 26—Centerville.
August 26—Niles.
August 26—Newark.
September 3—Irvington.
September 3—Mission San Jose.
September 9—Warm Springs.

WILL SELECT NIGHT-WATCHMAN

All of the fifty subscribers to the petition to secure a nightwatchman for Niles are urged to attend a meeting to be held at the Egyptian Ball Room Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of electing a committee who will select the watchman.

CITY WATER TO BE PIPED INTO CHILDREN'S HOME

Work has been started for the laying of pipes from the Mission Road west through the J. E. Thane orchard to the Children's Home and the Harry Tyson residence, to carry water from the Citizen's Water Company mains which run down the highway past the Thane corner. The new piping will comprise a private two-inch main and will be used as a temporary accommodation until the water company feels financially justified in laying larger mains in this section. Hitherto, the Children's Home had to depend upon a private tank which has not always proved satisfactory. A recent water shortage was alleviated by an order from Supervisor Ralph Richmond to have one of the road construction tank wagons taken to the home and a letter of thanks for this action was sent from the board of the Children's Welfare Department at their last meeting.

Exhibit of Batik Work at Local Library

Harry Green will have an exhibit of batik work at the Niles library, Thursday and Friday, August 22 and 23 from 2:30 to 5 and from 7 to 9 p. m. About fifty articles in all will be included—shawls, evening wraps, hour coats, scarfs, etc. Mr. Green values his collection at from \$500 to \$1,000.

This is the first exhibit to be staged at the Jane R. Clough Memorial library and is in accordance with wishes expressed by the donors, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Ford, and the trustees, that the library be made a center for the cultural, artistic and literary life of the community. An exhibit of paintings by some Carmel artists is also being considered.

Cannery Begins Run On Fruit Salad

Schuckl Cannery had a three-day fruit salad run this week, opening Monday for a run of two or three weeks.

TRAVELLER RETURNS.

Guido Cesari, master machinist on the President Adams, having been in ports at Naples, Genoa, Australia, South Sea Islands and other points since sailing last March, is expected home by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Cesari, of Niles, about September 3.

The Register for job printing.

ALVARADO COMPANY ADDS \$115,000.00 PLANT IMPROVEMENTS

Holly Sugar Corporation
Opens Aug. 20 With
165 Employees

Emphasizing once more the industrial growth of Washington Township, the Holly Sugar Corporation of Alvarado will open August 20, with a crew of 165 men and improvements which total \$115,000, including a turbo-generator which produces the factory's own power, a pulp dryer and new warehouses.

The story of the sugar beet is one of the interesting chapters of American agricultural and industrial history. Discussions of the various problems presented by this one crop range all the way from editorial comment in nationally-circulated magazines to town topics in weekly papers.

Alvarado's part in this story is of outstanding concern in this community and the company's faith in the Washington Township location for its growing business is but another proof of the suitability of Southern Alameda county for industrial enterprises.

W. H. Zeigler, of Alvarado, superintendent, is at present employing about eighty men on the maintenance staff. Many of these are skilled workmen, about fifty per cent of the staff which will be increased to 165 when the factory opens on the 20th, to be of this calibre.

The Holly Sugar Corporation is owned by a Colorado concern and most of the employees live in Alvarado, Hayward and San Leandro. Many of them are ranchers, fruit men, or employees of other industrial concerns in the township whose seasons so supplement each other as to enable

a man to engage in several different kinds of business during the year and receive a continuous wage.

Pulp Is Valuable

One of the most expensive of the additions to the local plant which has just been installed is the pulp dryer which entails an expense of \$90,000.

The beets are sliced and after being processed the result is 16 per cent sugar, eighty per cent water and four per cent pulp. This pulp is put through the new dryer and after a small portion of cane molasses and beet molasses is added, the product is sold as cattle feed. It is expected that the annual output will be about 160,000 one-hundred pound bags. The molasses comes from the refuse of the California and Hawaiian Sugar Company at Crockett.

Another important improvement just installed is the turbo-generator which will generate power for running the factory. This entailed an expense of \$12,000.

One additional warehouse, costing \$13,000 has also been built.

The annual output of the factory is expected to be 300,000 one-hundred pound bags, this being an increase of about 50 per cent over last year. The staff will be increased about twenty-five or thirty men.

Beet sugar is used to a large extent by canneries up and down the coast and is also suitable for table use. Much is sold in San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and other cities.

About 20,000 tons of the beets
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Rev. Stevenson Swaps Yarns With ex-Sec'y of U. S. Navy

An amusing incident occurred last week in the life of Rev. John R. Stevenson, who is now pastor of a San Francisco church. The minister, who formerly was pastor of the Irvington Presbyterian church, was enjoying lunch in the Clinton restaurant when he noticed a gentleman seated at a neighboring table whose face looked familiar. He was about six feet in height and dressed rather quietly which gave the aforesaid gentleman the idea that no doubt he was a ministerial friend. Where had he met him before? No, he could not remember. Yet the face

seemed as familiar as a brother. But no ransacking of the memory would reveal who he was. At last he could stand it no longer and going up to him he said, "Tell me who you are. I am sure I know you but I cannot just remember where we have met?"

The gentleman looked down and smiled as a gentleman should and said, "I am the ex-Secretary of the United States Navy, Curtis." "Oh, yes, I am sure I know you." And now the divine man is treasuring a pleasant conversation and a couple of handshakes with one of America's "well known" citizens.

California Chemical Corporation Building Big Plant At Newark

Another proof of the advantages to be gained by industrial locations in Washington Township is seen in the new plant now under construction at Newark, the California Chemical Corporation having started buildings this week which will be the first unit of a million dollar firm, this first group of buildings to cost about \$50,000. It is expected that production will start in about two months.

S. H. Barrows, of San Francisco, is president and Paul A. Gross is production manager. L. A. Laidlow is construction engineer in charge.

At first only ethylene dibromide will be manufactured, this being added to tetra ethyl lead to make ethyl gasoline. A 6,000 foot pipe line will bring the "mutter brine" (residue after the salt is extracted) from the Arden Salt

plant to the Chemical Company's plant.

The California Chemical Corporation has had a plant at Newark for two years but no actual production has occurred. When the new buildings have been completed the company will become one of the outstanding of those in Washington township although its staff will not be very large.

According to Mr. Gross' expressed opinion, the day will come when white gasoline will be as unusual as red ethyl was a few years ago. High compression motors that will feature the automobile of the future will necessitate the use of this kind of gas, Mr. Gross believes.

Yreka—Plans made for erection addition to local library building.

BIDS ORDERED FOR CLARK BRIDGE RE-BUILDING

Bids were ordered advertised for by the supervisors Tuesday for the \$40,000 rebuilding of Clark bridge in Niles Canyon, as announced here by Supervisor Ralph Richmond who was responsible for this local improvement.

This is the third phase of the steadily progressing improvement program Supervisor Richmond is advocating for Niles Canyon, the other two being the widening of "the narrows" and Richmond bridge. Widening of the pavement above the Western Pacific tunnel will also occur due to his interest and the road between Clark bridge and Hord's bridge will be widened with the Clark bridge program.

LEGION MEN MEET AT SAN DIEGO NEXT WEEK

When members of the American Legion meet at San Diego for the annual convocation, August 19 to 21, the Washington Township Post will be represented by Commander John Dutra, of Newark; Adjutant Frank Veit, of Newark; A. Peacock, of Decoto and Dr. H. E. Morrison, and Dale Caruthers, of Niles.

For two days prior to the formal opening of the annual state convention of the American Legion, the veterans who will attend the gathering will be elaborately entertained by the citizens of San Diego. Sightseeing tours, harbor excursions, receptions and a grand ball given by the Forty & Eight society, the American Legion playground, will feature the program.

State championships of the American Legion in bowling, pistol competition, tennis, trap shooting, golf and swimming will be decided on the second day of the big gathering of war veterans. The convention will conclude its business on Wednesday with the election of state officers for the organization and on Thursday an excursion to Agua Caliente, Mexico, will occupy the attention of ex-service men and women.

Simultaneously with the sessions of the American Legion, the Forty-and-Eight society, the women's unit of the former organization, and the American Legion Auxiliary will hold annual conventions.

Upwards of 20,000 legion members and their ladies are expected to be in attendance at the convention, according to State Adjutant James K. Fisk. Included in this number will be the five Californians who were awarded the highest decoration of the United States government for valor in war, the Congressional Medal of Honor.

SCOUTS WOULD HAVE OWN MEETING QUARTERS

Featuring the fall program of the Niles Boy Scouts will be the starting of a movement to provide the troop with its own meeting quarters, the first gathering since adjournment for vacation being called for September 6. Members of the scout committee state that so far no suitable place has been found in Niles where the scouts could meet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bunker and family moved to Oakland on Saturday. Their residence will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Braun about the first of September.

Camper In Niles Canyon Gives Away 11 Children On Sunday

While authorities cogitated over which particular piece of red tape was applicable to the case of Harry Bunan, his wife and eleven children who have been sleeping for the past several weeks upon the rocks of Niles Canyon creek, Bunan took advantage of the widespread public interest in his affairs resulting from stories appearing in the Tribune Saturday evening and Sunday morning and succeeded in giving away his last offspring before six o'clock Sunday night. Scores of sympathetic visitors called at the Bunan's camp Sunday, practically all of them leaving either groceries or money and seven of them carrying off a child apiece.

If either the mother or the father of the brood desired or expected sympathy for this parting from their children, they gave no evidence of it, the only tears attending the strange ceremony coming from mothers or fathers who had lost little ones of their own, and had come to find substitutes. Mr. Bunan laughed heartily and explained glibly that any person adopting his children would be expected to give them a good education and a good home. Their religion, he magnanimously agreed, could be determined by the foster parent.

Carrying off the Bunan children developed into an almost bargain counter rush, would-be foster mothers arriving from early morning until the late afternoon when the last child had been disposed of, and literally grabbing the little one of their choice.

Left alone in the desolate camp in the Niles Canyon creek bed, Mrs. Bunan seemed as unaffected by the unaccustomed quiet left by her departed brood as by the

parcelling out of the children who one by one as they were selected from the assortment said goodbye and cheerfully set out to meet whatever adventure might befall them, deciding, if they considered the question at all, that no fate could be much worse than present and past afforded.

Visitors were astonished at the cheerfulness, brightness and respectful attitude of the youngsters. Whether they had been scrubbed for inspection or whether they were habitually clean, they presented no more delapidated or ill-kept impression than the average family on its annual summer camping trip. The camp equipment, consisting of four or five old mattresses lying on the creek bed, soiled bedding and a few pots and pans scattered helter skelter about the strange homesite, offered a startling contrast and an unbelievable tragic setting for this strange drama taking place in the midst of civilization.

Having disposed of all impediments in the form of progeny, Mr. Bunan declared that he and his wife would move into an auto camp on Tuesday, he having been denied this privilege hitherto because of the size of his family.

Mrs. Bunan stated she would have no more babies but said she knew nothing of birth control. When asked if she wouldn't be rather lonely without the children, she answered, "Well, I guess I'll miss 'em."

Stoicism, callousness, courage or stolidity—whatever is going on in Mrs. Bunan's mind will never be guessed by her grave answers to your questions or her occasional flashing smile that makes her at 35, almost beautiful.

More Liquor Cases Since Volstead Law Than Before Says Judge Silva

"I never believed the charge that more cases involving drunkenness have been brought before the courts since prohibition than before, until after my experience in the police courts of Oakland," stated Judge J. A. Silva, after an unusually busy day in Judge

Tyrell's court Monday of last week, 225 cases having been disposed of in one day.

Most of the cases heard were those involving liquor charges, traffic violations, battery, etc., two bogus stock salesmen being among those present.

Drying Apricots Give Touch Of Gold

Washington Township is dotted with fields of gold at this time, large expanses of drying apricots splashing the landscape with patches of brilliant color. Hundreds of trays of fruit are drying in the sun and as fast as they are dried the apricots are being shipped to nearby or distant consumers.

Among the largest private driers are the W. Chas. Kolb ranch, at Centerville, the Joshua Chadbourne ranch at Irvington, the R. H. Hunt ranch at Niles and the George Lowrie ranch at Centerville. Chas. Silva also has extensive drying fields and reports an unusually heavy crop of cots which are considerably over-size.

Supervisor Richmond On State Committee

Supervisor Ralph Richmond has received word of his appointment as a member of the road traffic and vehicle committee of the State Supervisors Association, of which Supervisor Chas. F. Todd, of San Francisco, is president.

Mrs. Hunt Entertains For Mrs. C. E. Waldner

Mrs. H. R. Hunt will entertain with a bridge tea Friday afternoon in honor of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Waldner, of Taft, who is visiting here.

Register printing the best.

Thief Takes Car From Main Street

Isota's Machine Found At Mission San Jose Stripped Of Tires

When K. Isota came out of the barber shop Saturday night he found that somebody had taken his automobile which he had parked in front of the post office on the main street.

The car was found Monday morning in Mission San Jose and it had been stripped of two rear tires, a spare, rims, battery, tail light, tools and whatever else the more or less discriminating thief had thought worth taking.

Local Lodge Invited To Oakland Party

Members of Alameda Lodge F. and A. M., and their families are invited to attend the '79 celebration to be held at the Scottish Rite auditorium, Oakland, Friday evening, August 16, at 8 o'clock.

Y. L. I. INSTALLATION.
Y. L. I. officers will be installed at a meeting to be held at the Odd Fellows' hall Thursday evening with Institute Deputy Geraldine McCoy, of Alameda, in charge. A social hour will follow the program.

Repairs made at South Vallejo plant of Sperry Flour company.

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BROADWAY MELODY PLAYING TONIGHT AND FRIDAY HERE

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 combines rear acting with an in-
 tensely interesting plot to pro-
 duce a dramatic climax that will
 satisfy the most exacting. With
 a palatial home and a moonlit
 beach as a background many of
 the scenes are unusually artistic
 and beautiful. This was the pic-
 ture enjoyed in San Francisco re-
 cently when the Register staff
 were guests of the publisher.

 Tonight and Friday, the "Broad-
 way Melody" will be shown, this
 said by critics to be the out-
 standing musical comedy show of
 the talking screen this season.

 Saturday, Ken Maynard will
 play in "The Royal Rider," and
 on Tuesday, August 20, Tarzan,
 in person—Tarzan, the hero of
 the famous Tarzan stories. As an
 added feature, \$25 will be given
 away in cash at this show.

PARENT-TEACHERS HAVE PICNIC AT FAIR

 Parent-Teacher day at the
 County Fair at Hayward was ob-
 served last Thursday, Mrs. Har-
 vey Braun, president, represent-
 ing the local association. Others
 assisting in arrangements were:

 Mrs. C. E. Anderson, of Center-
 ville; Mrs. E. S. Gravette, of
 Tennyson; Mrs. C. H. West, of
 Sunol; Mrs. W. H. Christianson,
 of Pleasanton; Mrs. C. C. Blake,
 of the Hayward Union High
 school; Mrs. C. W. White, of the
 Bret Harte school; Mrs. George I.
 Roberts, of Castro Valley; Mrs.
 Blanche Malley, of Livermore;
 Mrs. William Marshall, of Valle
 Vista; Mrs. Rose Bulger, of San
 Lorenzo; and Mrs. Antone Esco-
 bar, of Mission San Jose.

 A picnic luncheon was served
 at noon preceding the pet parade
 which started at the Markham
 school and was arranged as a
 profitable way to entertain coun-
 cil members attending the fair.

 Montabell — Cozy Nook Cafe
 opened under new management af-
 ter being extensively remodeled
 and redecorated.

 Livermore — New post office
 building will be erected on corner
 of Second and J streets.

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By JULIA RUSCHIN

NEW PASTOR INSTALLED AT NEWARK CHURCH

Visiting Missionaries Are On Their Way Back To Siam

 Mrs. H. W. Fuller with Miss
 Jenny McCormick and Mrs. Max
 Bodutch of Centerville have left
 for a week's outing to Sonoma
 and Lake Counties.

 Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Silva have
 returned from a week's vacation
 at Santa Cruz and Monterey.

 Mrs. Henry Ruskofsky of San
 Francisco and little daughter,
 Priscilla Jean spent Sunday with
 her mother. Mrs. Wm. Calderia.

 Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown and
 children spent Sunday in Santa
 Cruz.

 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Piva and
 little son, George, and Mrs. Frank
 Souza and two daughters, Eloila
 and Lorraine of Hayward, spent
 the week end in Keyes.

 Mrs. Annie Vargas is spending a
 week with her daughter in San
 Francisco.

 Miss Emily Thompson, Mrs.
 Ernest Thompson and Henry
 Marshall have returned from a
 week's vacation at Yosemite.

 Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Amaral of
 Oakland were visitors at the
 Victor Saramento home on Sun-
 day.

 Miss Hazel Hempleman spent
 Saturday shopping in San Jose.

 Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Silveria left
 for a two week's vacation through
 Los Angeles and Mexico.

 Miss Mae Marlon spent Satur-
 day. Miss Mae Marlon spent Satur-
 day.

 Miss Elsie Haley of San Fran-
 cisco spent the week end with
 her aunt, Mrs. M. W. Flaherty.

PRIZE OFFERED FOR BEST CANNING OF FRUITS OR MEAT

 Since Washington Township is
 famous for its good cooks and
 efficient housewives, some local
 woman should stand a good
 chance of winning the \$1,250 of-
 fered in cash for the woman or
 girl in the United States whose
 entry of canned fruit, vegetables
 or meat is judged best.

 This contest, which is sponsored
 by the Sears-Roebuck Agricultural
 foundation seeks to acquaint
 more housewives with the econ-
 omy and healthfulness of home-
 canned foods.

 Two hundred and twenty-two
 cash prizes totaling \$5,825, will
 be given to winners and the con-
 test will close October 15. Fur-
 ther information may be received
 from the National Canning Con-
 test, 925 S. Homan avenue, Chi-
 cago, Ill.

 There are no restrictions as to
 the nature of the food sent; any
 fruit, vegetable or meat, whether
 home grown or purchased, is ac-
 ceptable. Contestants may enter
 one, two or all three divisions.
 Entries, regardless of when can-
 ned, must not be sent in prior to
 August 15 nor later than October

 Rev. Fuller and wife left last
 Friday on the President Garfield
 for Siam where they will take up
 their missionary work after a
 furlough spent in this country,
 the latter part of their visit hav-
 ing been with Mrs. Fuller's father,
 Rev. E. E. Mathes, pastor of
 the Irvington and Newark Pres-
 byterian churches.

 Rev. and Mrs. Fuller were
 guests at the recent installation
 services held in the Newark
 church when Rev. Mathes formal-
 ly became its pastor. Rev. McFee,
 of the First Presbyterian church
 of Berkeley, was the installing
 officer and Dr. Clyde Smith, sec-
 retary of the Home Mission Board
 of the Presbyterian church, de-
 livered the sermon of installation.

 Rev. H. McCall, former pas-
 tor of the Newark church, de-
 livered the charge to the people.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Martin and
 daughter, Muriel, were dinner
 guests Sunday at the home of
 Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Martin in
 Piedmont.

 Billy Wyatt has left for a two
 week's vacation to Fresno and
 Los Angeles.

 The Newark library is receiving
 a new coat of paint.

 Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Francis and
 Mrs. Ada Francis spent the week
 end in Sacramento at the home
 of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Francis.

 Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wales spent
 Tuesday in Colfax.

 The Newark deer hunters re-
 turned Sunday with one deer
 to their credit which was shot
 on the first day of deer season.
 The rest of the two weeks was
 spent in pursuing other "slower
 moving" objects, such as rattle
 snakes and the like. At leisure
 hours, which was most of the
 time, the "game hunters" sat
 around and played cards and
 drank "pink tea". The "chef" was
 kept busy all the time. Those
 making up the party were: J. D.
 Silva, "chef" and the killer of the
 deer, Charles Cockefair; dish-
 washer; M. P. Mathieson, general
 inspector and food tester and
 Maurice Silva, caddy.

 Eph L. Musick has returned
 from a month's vacation through-
 out the northern part of the
 state.

 Mrs. Theresa Folt and son Ed-
 ward were business visitors in
 Newark Monday.

 Thor Nordvich of Oakland
 spent the week end with his par-
 ents here.

 Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Mento of
 Oakland spent the week end at
 the James Steinhoff home here.

 Mrs. Walter Fuller and daugh-
 ters, Ruth and Nadine and baby
 son, Walton, Jr., of Graeagle,
 Plumas county were visitors in
 Newark on Monday.

Warm Springs

By MRS. L. D. CRANMER

 1, which is the closing date of the
 contest. No entries will be re-
 turned, but instead these will be
 sent, with the name and address
 of the contestant, to an orphanage,
 hospital, infirmary or other char-
 itable institution to be selected
 by the Foundation.

 Specimens of canned fruits and
 vegetables in the contest will be
 judged on the basis of clearness,
 color, pack, neatness, flavor and
 texture. Meat specimens will be
 judged in their relation to pack,
 neatness, texture and flavor.
 There will be three judges, to be
 selected by the Foundation from a
 list of outstanding authorities on
 home economics, domestic science,
 and canned food. Their decision
 will be made known just as soon
 as possible after October 1.

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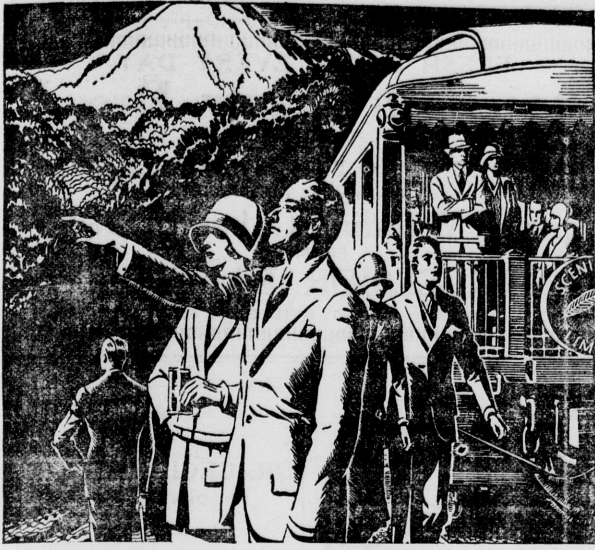
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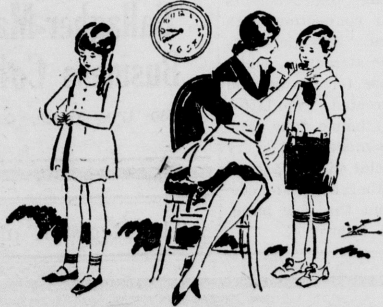
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Decoto Department

DECOTO SCHOOL TO HAVE \$4,500 ADDITION

Additions totalling \$4,500 were begun at the Decoto Grammar school Tuesday, according to Principal A. Peacock, who announces that school will open September 3.

Two new classrooms are being built. E. E. Dias, of Niles, being the contractor. Two teachers will be added to the staff, bringing the total to thirteen, seven of whom are new, Gladys Fairbanks, Marie Fowden, Beth Fineran, Melba O'Dell, Edith Burbeck, Frances Colley and Mernon Pender.

The Fabrico baseball team has offered to take over the care of the baseball diamond, erect bleachers, etc., for the privilege of using the field.

Fire Destroys Barn And Pigs At Decoto

About \$500 damage including two "roast pigs" resulted from the fire which destroyed a barn on the Pacheco property in Decoto this past week. The residence was saved through the efforts of the fire department. Losses were covered by insurance.

Mrs. A. Peacock returned Tuesday from a visit to Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Peacock left Tuesday for a visit to Yosemite.

"Intent to marry" has been filed by Marmio Rodrigues, aged 21, and Rose Andrew, aged 16, of Decoto.

Hayward Community Chest To Raise \$1200 For Child Welfare

Since there has been much discussion in this community regarding the formation of a Community Chest which would embrace all philanthropic work of the township, the following budget adopted by the newly-organized Hayward Chest will be of interest:

Tuberculosis Association	\$1200
(Del Valle work)	
S. Alameda County Welfare Board, Children's Department	\$1200
Boy Scouts	2000
Red Cross	1250
Salvation Army	2500
Emergency Fund, administration, supplies,	1550

The general committee in charge includes twenty-five members. It is probable that the campaign to raise the Community Chest budget will be started about September 9.

The district covered is that comprised by the boundaries of the Hayward Union high school district and it is figured it would require an average donation of something like \$1.50 per family to raise the desired amount.

Budget figures were presented by E. W. Burr, general chairman; T. G. Hodgkins, secretary, and Hans Henningsen and Henry Hopkins.

BEST GRAPE RECIPE SOUGHT IN PRIZE CONTEST

In addition to the canning contest announced in another column of The Register, a second list of prizes is announced by the Grape Recipe Contest, The California Grower, Room 318, 85 Second street, San Francisco, Calif.

All recipes must be received by August 22 and winners will be announced in September. The best recipe for using grapes will win a \$10 prize, the second, \$5, and the next five \$1 each. The recipe need not be original but must be practical. Be sure to mention the portions of each ingredient, the variety of grapes needed and tell how many can be served.

Gridley—Extensive alterations being made in interior of Frazier Garage building.

Fairfield—J. C. Penney Company store in remodeled building.

Gas Pipes Being Put Into New Bank Home

Excavations were made on I street last week by the Pacific Gas and Electric Company for the purpose of laying gas mains into the new home of the Niles Branch of the Bank of Alameda County. The building will be heated with gas.

The P. G. & E. office will probably move into its new quarters in the bank building about the first of September and the bank proper shortly later.

HAYWARD SHOP HAS SPECIAL COAT VALUES

Outstanding values in fall and winter coats will be found at the Economy Cloak and Dress Shop at 982 B street, Hayward, these models including fabric coats with fur collars and cuffs and also a distinctive line of all fur coats.

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Bay Bridge Crossed By Million Already

Five months lacking one day from the time it was opened to the public, the millionth passenger crossed the San Francisco Bay toll bridge between San Mateo and Hayward, according to the Hayward Review.

The bridge was opened to the motoring public March 2, many people from Washington Township joining the gala procession. Passenger number 1,000,000 crossed the bridge Thursday afternoon, August 1, according to A. W. Deuel, vice-president of the bridge company.

According to these figures an average of 200,000 people a month have been taking advantage of the convenience afforded by this seven-mile span.

Local Rebekahs Make Hit In Short Skit

The local chapter of Rebekahs visited in Oakland one night last week, thirty being in the delegation on a mission of returning the gavel of good will. The Niles people put on a program which was most enthusiastically received, especially the playlet given by Mesdames Rose and Ethel Fournier. Harp numbers, whistling solos and numbers by Fred Mitte's Haywire orchestra were also well received.

Montebello—Willard Storage Battery Company will erect plant in Union Pacific industrial district on east side at cost of approximately \$1,000,000.

Carlsbad—Construction will start September 1, on new sanitary sewer system for this city.

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CENTERVILLE CALENDAR

(The Township Register in anxious to be of real service to its subscribers in Centerville. We shall be glad to publish all announcements, reports, etc., sent in to us or given to our representatives.)

August 16—Official visit of Grand officers to Native Daughters.
Aug. 22—Freshmen registration at high school.
Aug. 23—Upper class registration at High School.
Aug. 26—High School opens.
Aug. 26—Grammar School Opens.
August 28—"For the Love of Johnny"—Parish Hall.
Sept. 1—Presbyterian church resumes services.
Sept. 8, 9, 10—N. S. G. W., N. D. G. W., celebration, Santa Cruz.
Sept. 3—Night school opens.

WELFARE CLUB WILL MEET WITH MRS. C. EMERSON

Mrs. Carrie Emerson will entertain the Welfare Club No. 1 at her home in Centerville next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

State Deputies To Meet With Sportsmen

About twenty state deputy game wardens will meet with the Washington Township Sportsmen's Association at their next session here at the Odd Fellows hall, Thursday, August 29, at 8 o'clock.

TOURING TIPS FOR WESTERN AUTOISTS



REGISTRATION AT HIGHSCHOOL BEGINS AUG. 22

Registration will begin at the Washington Union high school a week from Thursday, August 22 and 23. The school will open August 26.

Tony Figuera's Car Damaged In Wreck

Tony Figuera's car was badly damaged Saturday night when it collided with another car while backing out from a parking place in front of the Peerless restaurant.

Single Men Defeat Married Ball Players

Knights of Columbus married men and single men fought it out on the high school ball field last Sunday, the married men suffering a lamentable defeat with a score of 14 to 7 in favor of those enjoying single blessedness. "The contest was even more uneven than the score indicates," admitted one of the losers. John Vasconcellos, of Irvington, was captain for the married men, and Ernest Pimentel, of Decoto, for the single men.

K. C. Members Visit San Mateo Council

Ten members of the local Knights of Columbus visited the San Mateo council last week, the affair being a special entertainment for the councils of the county. Refreshments were served after the program.

"Paving Work On Main Street To Start Next Week"—Grindley

That actual construction work upon the curb-to-curb paving of Centerville's main street will begin next week is the announcement of E. J. Grindley, representing the Hutchinson Street Improvements Company, of Oakland, who has had the matter in charge, the movement being sponsored by the Service Club of which F. T. Dusterberry is president.

Surveyors were recently busy in Centerville, making reports as to fixing of grades, curbs, etc., and

these plans are now in the hands of County Surveyor George E. Posey. As soon as he has completed them, work will begin, Mr. Grindley states.

Fifty-five of the sixty property owners on this street have signed the contract to pave and the county will pave the thirty-foot strip through the center, this making the main street from curb to curb complete with high grade surfacing. Supervisors state they cannot begin work until all property owners sign up, as they do not want "patchy" paving.

GIVES UP LICENSE RATHER THAN GO INTO COURT

Frank Ng, aged 16, of 712 Alice street, Oakland, voluntarily gave up his drivers license for 30 days rather than answer a charge of cutting in before the juvenile court, according to Judge Allen G. Norris at the local justice court.

Alice Leong, of 1839 Euclid avenue, Berkeley, was fined \$10 for speeding, Wesley B. Appel, 1639 Eighty-sixth avenue, Oakland, drawing the same fine for the same offense.

A warrant was ordered issued for A. W. Hart, P. O. Box 174, San Lorenzo, on a charge of speeding and failing to appear.

SANITARY DISTRICT TAX IS \$.53 FOR FISCAL YEAR

An increase of one cent bringing the total sanitary tax to \$.53 was voted at a meeting of the Union Sanitary District held this week. George Coit, chairman, explained the increase by the fact that last year's tax was lowered because they had entered the fiscal year with a balance from 1927. This year, there being no funds on hand, the additional levy was considered necessary. No extension of sewers is considered at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald and Mrs. M. Mathiesen leave the fifteenth for a trip toward the north.

Personal Items

W. J. McDaniels has returned from Coalingo where he finished a twenty-inch natural gas line from Kettleman Hills to San Francisco.

Justus Overacker and family are spending a month's visit in Nevada.

Dr. DuBois Eaton and Mrs. Eaton are in Centerville again after a month's absence.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Ormsby and family are spending their vacation in Eldorado county.

Jess Regli and bride will occupy the Gatchel house. Mr. Regli is athletic coach at Washington Union high school.

Miss Jewel Anderson will leave the latter part of September to re-enter Stanford. Louis Ruschin, of Newark, will also enter at that time.

Manuel Lamberen, of Decoto, has purchased a Ford truck from Dohner and Galbraith.

Roy Mathiesen, son of Mr. and Mrs. George N. Mathiesen, celebrated his fifth birthday with a party Tuesday afternoon.

A. Evans and Fred Cochoero, of Newark, purchased Ford cars from Dohner and Galbraith this week, the former's being a coupe and the latter's a roadster. Mr. Evans is foreman of the Arden Salt Works.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Vargas, of Hayward, last week. Mr. Vargas is shop foreman at Dohner and Galbraith's.

Mrs. Joseph Brown is spending several weeks with her sons in Los Angeles.

William Bettencourt has just returned from a vacation spent at Richardson Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Botelho and daughters are leaving this week for Bartlett Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Christensen have returned from a vacation spent in Plumas county.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gregory and son have traveled over the state for several weeks. They are now with Mrs. M. Gregory. They will leave in about a week for their home in Pennsylvania.

Mrs. E. Ames is home for the week. She is going to Oakland to be treated for throat trouble.

Mrs. F. O. Bunting left Saturday morning for a week in Yosemite.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bell will leave the middle of the month for the north on a vacation.

Mrs. A. Bergstrom of San Jose, entertained Mrs. Agosti, Mrs. Jack Crothers and Mrs. W. Waldren at lunch on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Waterbury and family have returned from a short vacation at Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lannes Sharman were in San Francisco Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clarke and family are at Richardson Springs.

Mrs. J. P. Rose of Centerville, and Mrs. M. Perry, of Mt. Eden, spent the week end at Salinas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chadbourne will spend a week at Lake Tahoe.

Miss Beardsley gave a delightful luncheon to Mrs. C. H. Hirst, of Manila, Friday. She had made the table decorations and the effect was most artistic, the color scheme being yellow. Mr. and Mrs. Hirst will leave for their home in about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dusterberry and family will leave the fifteenth for a two week's trip, going to Eureka, stopping at different places on the way.

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WELFARE SHIP TO GIVE CARD PARTY

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The Welfare Ship will resume its work August 29. It will be in the form of a card party given at Memorial Hall. There will be a number of prizes and unique features. The money will go toward outfitting the children for school. No better work has ever come up in this section than helping these children to become fine men and women. The first year has passed. It is now seen that the estimate for their care was too low. One fact has helped in this. The children are nearly all of an age that they should be in school, all of the fifty-nine with the exception of seven. As vacation closes, they must be gotten ready for school. All parents know what that means, new clothes and new shoes. This party is to help in this plan.

All come, and put in generously. The management will be with Capt. C. Anderson at the head and Purser Haynes and members assisting.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Huxley of New York City and family were in town on Wednesday looking up old friends and the town in general.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Anderson entertained their friends with a dinner and cards Friday evening. There were six tables. After the bountiful repast, came Dutch Whist. The fortunate ones were Mrs. Oakes and Mrs. Chadbourne, and for the gentlemen, R. Hunt and Geo. Lowrie. After the games music was enjoyed.

W. J. McDaniels purchased a new Standard Six 400 from the Nash agency last week.

M. I. Dohner, of Dohner-Galbraith Ford Agency, has returned from a vacation spent in Alaska.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS ARE ANNOUNCED

Civil service examinations will be held at the Hebern Code Building, Oakland, for occupational therapy technician, bacteriological laboratory technician and assistant and bacteriologists as announced below:

Occupational therapy technician, salary \$100 FM per month, examination Friday, September 6, at 5 p. m., at Hebern Code building, 829 Harrison street, Oakland. Duties, instructing inmates of an institution in the art of weaving baskets, reed furniture, rugs, etc.

Assistant bacteriological laboratory technician, examination on Friday, September 13, at 9 a. m., salary \$75 FM per month.

Bacteriological laboratory technician, salary \$125 a month, examination held Friday, September 13, at 9 a. m. Duties, prepare culture media and stains used in laboratory tests and examinations, supervises work of assistant, etc.

Bacteriologist, salary \$175 or \$140 FM per month, examination held Friday, September 13, at 9 a. m.

DEL VALLE GETS PRIZE VEGETABLES

About three tons of prize fruit and vegetables from the Farm Products show at Hayward were given to Del Valle Preventorium at Livermore after the fair closed. Superintendent A. W. Monroe stated a part of the produce was canned to prevent loss, but the bulk of the fruit and vegetables is being used fresh, such food forming a large portion of the health diet given the Sunshine Children at Del Valle.

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August 15, 16, 17—Decidedly cooler in California, with comparatively fine weather in the hitherto much disturbed regions of Arizona and British Columbia.

August 18, 19, 20—A trifle warmer in California, with fine weather in the northwest and southeast.

August 21, 23—Still warmer in California and continued fine weather in the northwest.

August 23, 24, 25—An increase of heat along the Coast, with cool evenings and mornings.

August 26, 27, 28, 29—No change continued heat in California and along the Coast.

August 30, 31—A deep depression over British Columbia will usher in September and cause cloudiness and consequent decrease in heat throughout California.

S. P. Improving Pleasanton Station

The Southern Pacific Company is making extensive improvements at Pleasanton in connection with its property here. The depot is being made more attractive, while a \$5000 bunkhouse for the section crew is being erected. The latter is being built to house four families and will be modern in every respect, with special shower accommodations and other conveniences. The grounds about the new building also will be improved.

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Mr. and Mrs. Juhl
Entertain With Dance

Mr. and Mrs. Al Juhl entertained at a dinner dance recently at Cobble Crest in honor of Miss Ione Cahill, a former teacher in Niles, and Miss Katherine Bliss who is entering St. Mary's training school in August. Those present were Miss Katherine Bliss, Miss Ione Cahill, Miss Cecilia

Enos, Miss Sara Jacobsen, of Roseville, Miss Margaret Anderson and Miss Eva Anderson of San Francisco; Messrs. Charles Cadwell, Artie Aldon, Will Bowman, Eddie Wilkins and George Leatherby, Dr. Colton and Dr. Watson.

CAMPFIRE GIRLS WIN
HIGHEST HONOR
ACCORDED

High honors were won by the local Campfire Girls who have just returned from Camp Minkalo above Stockton with their guardian, Mrs. J. E. Townsend, who herself won the "guardian's honor." Evelyn Rose won the pollywog for swimming, Estelle Martenstein and Muriel Fournier, the campcraft honor. First aid and camp honors were also won by the Niles group as a whole which in addition to the above included Patsy Duffey and Bonnie May. Regular meetings will be resumed the middle of September.

Escondido—Installation of machinery started at new packing house of Escondido Lemon Association.

Sunol School One Of Best
Equipped In This Section

George Richards, new principal of the Sunol Grammar school, reported an enrollment of sixty-nine at the opening session there Monday, this number compared with ninety-one last year. The fact that many parents do not realize the importance of starting their children the first day school opens and also that several families have moved from the community explains the decrease in enrollment. Mrs. Vernon Gould, formerly of the Decoto school, is a new member of the faculty. Miss Anita Wiekling being the other teacher.

The Sunol school is one of the best equipped small buildings in this part of the country, being heated entirely with electricity and equipped with regulation motion-picture machine, an excellent stage fitted with curtains and lights, an electric range in the kitchen, electric radio and puppet stage. Visual instruction is stressed in many of the classes. A. W. Ebricht, of the Spring Valley Water Company, is president of the board of trustees. An orchestra and rhythm band is to be organized for the first time this year.

School Gardener
Passes Away, Sunol

Funeral services for James Hoeg, aged 63, gardener at the Sunol school, who passed away Sunday morning at his home in Sunol, were held Tuesday afternoon from the Graham Funeral parlors in Pleasanton. Interment was in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

The deceased was a native of Scotland and is survived by his widow and a son, John T. Hoeg, employed at the Oakland Tribune garage. Rev. Robert C. Cross, pastor of the Pleasanton Presbyterian church, had charge of the funeral services.

MRS. KING WISHED
TO THANK NILES
FIREMEN ALSO

Deeply regretting the fact that the impression seems to have gone abroad that she did not properly appreciate the efforts of the Niles firemen at the recent fire at the Children's Home, Mrs. Anna King, housemother, wishes to correct this idea through the columns of The Register.

"When I read the article in this last week's Register," said Mrs. King, "I wondered if the gentlemen referred to my letter which was printed in another paper. I wrote that letter because somebody suggested it and I never dreamed it would be published. At the time it did not occur to me that it would in any way reflect on the Niles firemen and I understood that the Welfare Board had officially thanked the Niles firemen."

"It is my understanding that the Niles Department did not come to the fire because it was against their regulations to come outside of their district, but the fact that the firemen came as individuals is greatly appreciated and I wish them to know that we are very grateful to them for their help."

"I want to thank the Niles firemen and the Centerville firemen both for their kindness in coming to our aid when they were not obliged to do so."

Mrs. King's letter to the Centerville fire department read as follows:

Children's Home,
Niles, Calif.,
July 14, 1929.Mr. Fred Rogers,
Centerville, Calif.Dear Sir:
I wish to express most sincere thanks to the gentlemen of the Centerville fire department for their kindness and promptness in responding to the call for help in time of a fire which might have been more serious to the Children's Home which is out of your district.

It made me feel sad when the babies asked, "Mamma, is dey going to let our house burn down?" and I assured them you would not.

You will certainly be held in grateful remembrance by the children and myself.

Yours sincerely,
MRS. ANNA KING,
Matron.

Sacramento — Plans approved for erection of new bridge across American river to connect with Garden Highway to Front street in this city at total cost of \$200,000.

Santa Rosa—Sanitarium opened on site located two miles east of here on Sonoma road.

J. B. Wandersforde of Seattle, Wash., is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wm. D. Cull. Mr. Wandersforde is accompanied by his son, James.

Mrs. Anna King, housemother, at the Children's Home took her "family" of six to Niles Canyon Friday for a picnic. A. A. Hatch, who happened to meet the party enroute was kind enough to carry them in his machine to the picnic grounds and returned for them in the evening. The youngsters reported a most satisfying day of it and the affair was but one of the many "extras" the charges at the Children's Home enjoy due to the motherliness of Mrs. King.

Davidson City—\$1,400,000 improvement program continues until all streets put in good shape.

Welfare Dep't Has
Deficit Of \$246.94Clubs Urged To Give
Benefits To Buy
School Clothes

Reports at the end of the first fiscal year of the Children's department show a deficit of \$246.94, this due to the fact that the estimate of \$100 a month was too conservative to run the home established at Niles and to pay for extras needed by the fifty-nine children under the care of the board. President E. W. Burr stated at the meeting held at the Niles library last Thursday morning that he was not embarrassed or apologetic regarding the deficit. "We asked for as little money as we thought we could do on and as the whole thing was an experiment, the year has shown that our estimate was a little more than \$20 a month too low. The only thing to be done is to increase the \$100 a month budget to \$120 or \$125 a month and this will mean that the four townships will have to increase their quota."

School Shoes Needed

Mrs. Ruth McCord, executive secretary, announced that inasmuch as school was just beginning more than fifty of the children who are to enter classes will have to have new shoes. During the summer they have either worn old shoes or none but now footwear is a necessity and it is one article of clothing that does not pass on second-hand to advantage. Money to buy shoes will be more acceptable than cast-off shoes which cannot be used except in rare cases.

Mrs. A. A. Hatch, chairman of the clothes committee, reminded the board that the majority of the children under the department's jurisdiction were of the age when they wear out clothes and shoes most quickly and that most of them were boys. "Cast-off clothes made over don't wear as well as new ones," said Mrs. Hatch and that means that we have to supply them oftener. This

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Pleasanton Over-Subscribed
It was announced that Pleasanton had over-subscribed its quota of \$10 a month and that Livermore had reached its quota. Money raised from the Charity Ball is being used to care for Washington Township's quota of \$40 a month. It is to be remembered, however, that this quota was based on a budget that did not adequately provide for needs which have been met.Benefit Parties Urged
Mrs. F. O. Bunting volunteered to ask the Centerville Welfare Ship to have a benefit card party to raise extra funds with which to outfit the children for school, this party being announced in the Centerville Department of this issue.CARD OF THANKS
"I wish to offer my sincerest thanks and deepest appreciation for the kindness shown me by all during my recent trouble, the loss by fire of my home and furnishings."
MRS. CARRIE MARTIN & FAMILY.Peterson's
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Next Door to Rose's Garage
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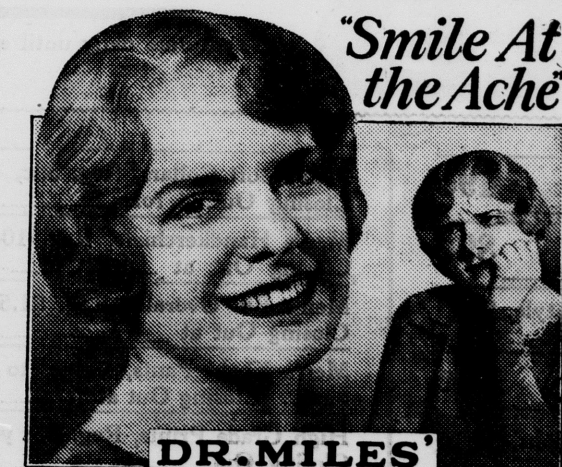
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Office: Niles 111W. Residence: Niles 123W

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Suffering? There's a new, pleasant, mint-flavored, tablet that relieves ordinary headache and neuralgia, muscular pains and functional pains. It's excellent for Coryza—cold in the head—and for the sore throat that often accompanies it.

Physicians have been writing prescriptions for a similar combination for years.

The Dr. Miles Medical Company has standardized this well balanced formula and is glad to offer it in the form of a stable, palatable, mint-flavored tablet for home use. Pocket Size 15c, Regular Package 25c

YOU'LL GET RELIEF—OR YOUR MONEY BACK

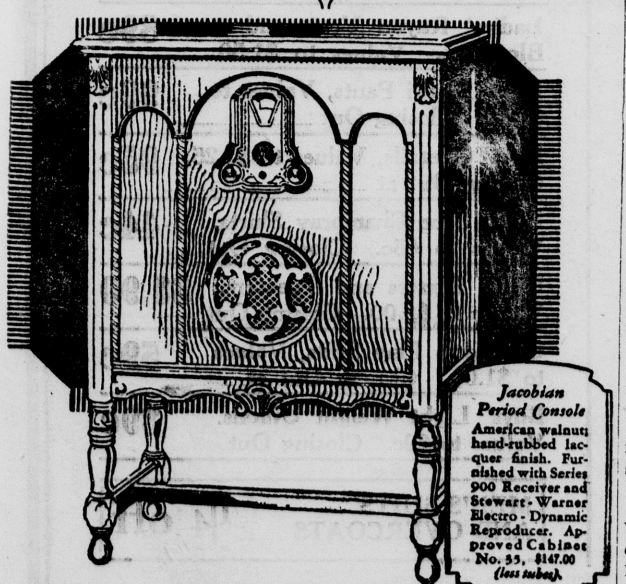
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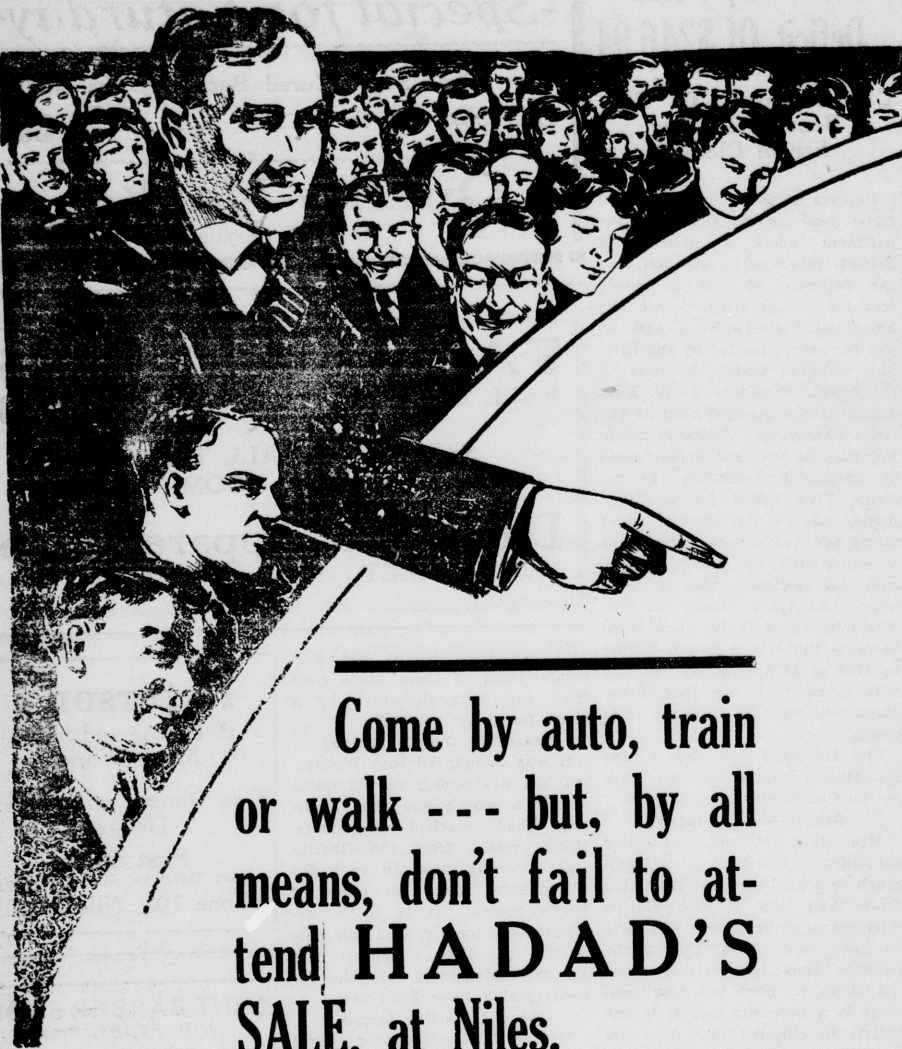
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or walk --- but, by all
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AFTER 12 YEARS OF FAITHFUL SERVING THE
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Thousands of People
CAME TO OUR SALE AND WENT AWAY HAPPY. VISIT US ONCE AND BE
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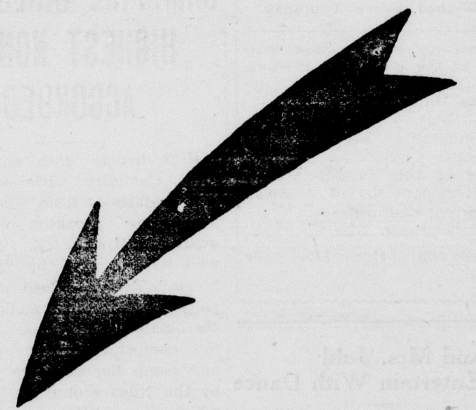


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\$25,000 Worth of Clothing, Furnishings, Shoes, Dry Goods, Ladies' and Children's
Ready-to-Wear on the Altar of Sacrifice that for Dependable Merchandise, for Variety,
for Knock-Out Prices, Will Prove a Sensation in the History of Local Merchandising.
ENTIRE STOCK TO BE CLOSED OUT!

SALE NOW GOING ON!

and continues daily until entire stock is sold. WE SUBMIT A PORTION OF THE
PROOF BELOW!



200 Men's Blue Chambray Shirts, values to 75c.....	49c
200 Men's Dress Shirts, Values to \$1.75	89c
Men's Cotton Shirts, Sailor style, Values to 75c	39c
Men's Heavy Ribbed Shirts or Drawers. Reg. \$1.00	73c
Men's Summer Weight Unions. Reg. \$1.25. Closing out at	89c
Men's Wool Mixed Shirts or Drawers, Values to \$2.00.....	\$1.29
Men's Hose, Reg. 15c, assorted colors, 10 pairs for	\$1
Men's Dress Hats, Values to \$4.50	\$2.89
Men's and Boys' Dress Caps, Values to \$1.50, Closing Out.....	89c
Men's Stiff Colars, Reg. 20c. Closing Out, 6 for	95c

HAND BAGS, TRUNKS $1\frac{1}{3}$ off
AND SUIT CASES

Men's Soft Collars, Reg. 35c, Closing Out, 4 for	95c
Men's Handkerchiefs, Reg. 10c. Closing Out at	4c
Men's Bib Overalls, Reg. \$1.50. Closing Out at	99c
Men's Khaki Pants, Values to \$2.00. Closing Out at	\$1.45
High Grade Prints, Reg. 25c yd., Closing Out	18c
High Grade Gingham, Values to 20c yd., 8 yds for	\$1
Voiles, Assorted Colors. Values to 50c. Closing Out, yd.....	29c
Turkish Towels, Values to 35c. Closing Out, 5 for	\$1
Ladies Silk Hose, Cotton tops. Reg. 50c. Closing Out, doz.....	95c
Ladies Gowns, Values to \$1.50. Closing Out at	99c

BLANKETS, QUILTS $1\frac{1}{4}$ off
AND SHEETS

Ladies' Bloomers, Values to 75c. Closing Out	46c
Ladies' Cotton Vests, Values to 50c. Closing Out, 4 for	\$1
Ladies' Dresses, Values to \$1.50. Closing Out at	89c
Ladies' Dresses, Values to \$2.50. Closing Out	\$1.79
Ladies' Silk Dresses, Values to \$5.95. Closing Out at.....	\$2.95
Ladies Silk Mixed Vests. Values to \$1.20. Closing out	49c
Men's Dress and Work Shoes. Values to \$5.50. Closing Out	\$3.90
Men's Dress Shoes, Values \$6.50. Closing Out at.....	\$4.95
Men's Scout Shoes, Value \$3.25. Closing Out	\$2.49
Boys' Oxfords, Black and Tan, Values to \$5.00	\$3.45

NOTIONS, RIBBONS $1\frac{1}{3}$ off
AND BRAIDS

Ladies' Oxfords, Values \$2.95 to \$3.95 \$5.50. Closing Out at	
Children's Shoes, Reg. \$1.95. Closing Out at	\$1.25
200 Pairs Ladies' Pumps. Val. to \$6.00. Closing Out.....	\$1.95
Ladies' Rayon Vests and Bloomers. Values to \$1.50.....	89c
Boys' Khaki Pants, Values to \$1.50. Closing Out	99c
Boys' Overalls, Values to \$1.25. Closing Out at	95c
Boys' Blue Chambray Shirts. Values to 65c. Closing Out.....	44c
Men's Blazers and Sweaters. Values to \$6.00. Closing Out	\$3.90
Children's Play Suits, Values to \$1.00. Closing Out at.....	59c
Boys' Light Weight Unions. Values to 60c. Closing Out	39c

MEN'S SUITS $1\frac{1}{4}$ off
AND OVERCOATS

Loyal Friends and Customers!

These prices are selling goods by the ton; rub
your eyes—read these prices again—supply
your present and future needs at
THIS GREAT SALE!

Come, People! Come!

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LOOK FOR SALE SIGNS!

Cash Is Master Now!

We urge you to attend this CLOSING OUT
SALE as you really cannot afford
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DID YOU EVER? STOP TO THINK?

by
EDSON R. WAITE, Shawnee, Oklahoma

THAT in these days of high-pressure business and scientific competition, cities can go ahead by being careful students of economic forces and fundamentals.

THAT one of the greatest insurances against business depression of a city is a diversity of its sources of income; such as farming, manufacturing, jobbing and retail businesses. Each one of these enterprises is a separate source of income to a certain quota of its citizens, and the failure of any one of them would not create a big depression, as the other sources of income would be able to carry the temporary load.

A city can take what comes its way without an effort and be a good city sometimes. Occasionally some valuable industry will drop in unasked, but that does not happen often.

But the city with vision, energy and a go-getting spirit is the one that has a consistent growth and creates new wealth and happiness for its constantly growing population.

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MORE ON ALVARADO COMPANY

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come from Alvarado ranchers, the production being hampered to a certain extent here by the lack of sufficient irrigating water. Most of them come from the island territory of the Sacramento river, Oakley and some from other districts.

The Holly Sugar Corporation at Alvarado not only offers employment to day laborers but brings to the township skilled mechanics and expert chemists as well as business executives of experience and efficiency.

Real Mother Found At Children's Home

"I would much prefer the children to leave the home with regret than be anxious to go," said Mrs. Anna King, housemother at the Children's Home, in writing to the board of the Children's department to thank them for her vacation of a week spent recently in Hayward.

"I wish to extend my sincere thanks to the members of the board for having allowed my recent vacation and much-needed rest," stated the letter from Mrs. King, which was read at the meeting of the board at the Niles library last Thursday morning. "It has helped me a great deal to continue the work of caring for the little ones placed in my charge and for whom you provide so bountifully."

"The children seem quite happy, and I would much prefer they leave the home with regret than be anxious to go."

"Yours very gratefully,
Mrs. Anna King."
Mrs. Ruth McCord, executive secretary of the Children's Department, states that her main difficulty is in pacifying the children when they are taken away, so much do they like the treatment received at the home.

Cunningham—Local school building being repaired and improved.

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THIEVES BREAK IN AT IRVINGTON STORES

Constables are looking for a thief who forced open the back door of the K. F. Reynolds store in which the post-office is located at Irvington and took several pairs of shoes, a wallet and other articles. The drug store was entered the same evening during last week and several articles taken from there.

Mrs. Emma Bond, who has been in a hospital in San Jose for several weeks is expected to return to Irvington this week and will be the guest of Mrs. John Harlan while convalescing.

Postmaster K. F. Reynolds has returned from a recent visit to Yosemite Valley.

Miss Anne Weston, of Irvington, and the Misses Trimmingsham, of Sunol, have returned from a visit to Yosemite.

Mrs. J. D. Blacow was a recent visitor to Yosemite. She was accompanied by Miss Lucille Breimer, of Decoto.

Rev. John A. Moore, of Palo Alto, preached at the Irvington Community church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pond have been spending their vacation in Yosemite.

KNIGHTS TO HAVE LUXURIOUS ABODE IN NEW CASTLE

Hoboes who have expressed their resentment at being forcibly removed from this vicinity to San Leandro before the completion of the new Pleasanton bastille, have not long to wait until the long promised accommodations will be ready, according to B. W. Bennet, chief of police.

The temporary facilities provided in the jungles of the Arroyo del Valle near here are proving inadequate, according to latest reports, and the knights who have so patiently suffered in silence are growing restless.

It is expected that the new dungeon will be ready for occupation within six weeks, and invitations will be issued shortly. All those who desire to utilize the commodious apartments now in preparation are urged to sign up immediately, as advance reservations are fast being filled. Hot and cold running water, shower baths, luxurious sleeping quarters, and nickel plated bars on the cells are among the enjoyable facilities to be provided for the edification of these deserving unfortunates.

The new quarters are directly behind and adjoining the fire house, making it convenient in case extra assistance is needed for the manipulation of the town's growing department.

Stockmen Gain 100 New Members

More than 100 new members have been signed for the Livermore Stockmen's Protective Association, in the membership campaign now under way, President John McGlinchey states. They are mostly farmers of the valley region, the stockmen operating in the mountain areas already belonging to the organization. The committee carrying on the drive consists of A. W. Ebright, Charles Graham, H. D. Ruter, W. J. Wagoner, E. A. Wente, J. L. Moy, J. S. Concanon, Patrick Connolly, John E. Regan, M. C. Mulqueeney, A. E. Windeler, Henry Hartman, J. B. Laughlin, M. R. Murray, Walter Block, Ray Brown and J. R. Cronin.

Honoring Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hirst of Manila, Miss Estelle Hirsch entertained at a dinner dance at the Hotel Mark Hopkins Saturday evening.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Hawes surprised them with a house warming party in their new home on North Fifth street, San Jose, Monday evening.

Irvington Scouts To Hike On Aug. 30

Tom Seales, of San Jose, principal of the Irvington Grammar school which is to open September 2, and also acting as scoutmaster, announces that the next meeting of the scouts will be held Friday, August 30, at which time an over-night hike will be staged. Destination of the hikers will be announced later.

P. G. & E. Crew Leaving Irvington Quarters

Irvington's population is approximately 150 less than it was a week or so ago, due to the departure of the Pacific Gas and Electric crew which have been making their headquarters there while working in the natural gas mains leading from San Jose to Alvarado, enroute to San Francisco and Oakland.

George L. Donovan, local representative of the P. G. & E., states that the pipe line is practically complete and that consumers should be using natural gas in the bay cities sometime this month.

The crew of workmen have been working in and around Irvington for about two months.

E. A. Grau who has been in a San Jose hospital for a week is reported improving.

Attorney Tom Power and family are expected back this weekend from a vacation spent at Santa Cruz.

NEARBY and ...YONDER...

by T. T. Maxey

Starved Rock

ON THE south bank of the Illinois river near the busy little city of Utica a tremendous rock lifts its head some 125 feet above the water in the river. Its water side is so sheer that it is unclimbable, but its crest, which is perhaps half an acre in extent, is reachable from its land side.

Set down in the midst of a flat countryside of great extent this vast rock pile at once catches the eye of the approaching traveler. It is the outstanding feature of a state park which embraces some 900 acres of scenic beauty—canyons, hills, rocks, forests, mounds and streams—a natural beauty spot, known as Starved Rock.

Here Indian legend and romance meet. In 1683 French explorers built a fort in honor of their king. This was abandoned some 80 years later and a band of Illinois Indians, pursued by the savage Pottawatomies with whom they were at war, driven to their last resort, took refuge of the top of this rock. As the story goes, the Pottawatomies made no attempt to capture the rock, but they did so guard its base as to prevent the Illinois from procuring food or water or to escape and they were slowly starved to death or leaped into the placid waters of the river below and perished.

The state of Illinois, desiring to preserve the historic landmark, purchased it in 1911.

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SON OF FORMER TIMES EDITOR TO COMPETE AT FAIR

Not content with a championship baseball team, Pleasanton also claims for her own a runner-up for the state spelling championship in Wilbur Davis, son of the former editor and publisher of the Pleasanton Times, and Alameda county grammar school spelling champion.

Wilbur Davis has been selected to compete with the various other county champions on the opening day of the State Fair at Sacramento, August 31, and is expected by local supporters to bring home the honors.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, CALIFORNIA CITY AND COUNTRY LAND COMPANY, a corporation, did make, execute and deliver a certain Deed of Trust, dated the 19th day of September, 1924, to BENJ. J. HENLEY and W. H. SMITH, JR., for the benefit and security of CALIFORNIA PACIFIC TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, which Deed of Trust was recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California,

Classified Advertising and Reader Notices

Telephone Twenty-three

RATES:
CLASSIFIED—One and one-half cents per word, first insertion; one cent per word each subsequent insertion.
READERS (run between news items)—Ten cents per line per insertion. Black-face lines, 15c per line.

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Classified, per line..... 25c
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Readers (black-face type), per line..... 40c

The Register will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement.

Orders to discontinue "if" (until forbidden) ads must be in writing, and brought to Register office or given to Register representative.

Copy Received up to 3 p. m., Thursday

For Sale

FOR SALE—Five-room house on Second street. J. C. Walton. A198c

Miscellaneous

TAILOR — Bring your repairing and altering to PETER JOHNSON, the tailor, upstairs at 715 Castro street, Hayward, Calif. Prompt service, good work, reasonable prices guaranteed. Give me a trial and you will not regret it. S11p

Wanted

WANTED—Hear from owner good ranch for sale. Cash price, particulars. G. C. Lundquist, Minneapolis, Minn. A15-22p

WANTED—Housework by hour or day. Would like regular place for Tuesday and Thursday. Experienced. Good references. Call evenings after 4:30. Mrs. Hepler, corner 2nd and 1st St., Niles.—J131fc

HORSES BOUGHT AND SOLD

We are in market for live stock—feed horses at highest prices; remove dead horses and cows immediately; buy and sell all kinds live stock at highest prices. Frank Pemental, Vallejo St. Phone Niles 182.

LIVE STOCK—Am dealing in all kinds of live stock; also buy and sell on commission. Dead stock removed on short notice. General hauling. Moved to corner Third and F streets, near school. Manuel Pemental. Phone 155, Niles

to the County as agreed and liquidated damages should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract after the award, or to give bonds required by law and by the Board.

The Board of Supervisors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GEO. E. GROSS, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors. Dated August 13th, 1929. A15-22-29; S5

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Theresa A. Peters, deceased, to all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within four months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda or send them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the law office of J. P. Power, Irvington, Alameda county, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

FLORA A. COLLONAN, administratrix of the estate of Theresa A. Peters, deceased. Dated at Irvington, California, July 19, 1929.

THOS. J. POWER, Irvington, California, attorney for said administratrix. Jy25; A14-15-22



Louise Rice, world famous graphologist, can positively read your talents, virtues and faults in the drawings, words and what notes that you scribble when "lost in thought". Send your "scribbles" or a picture for analysis. Enclose the picture of the Mikado pencil, and ten cents. Address Louise Rice, care of SAGLE PENCIL CO., NEW YORK CITY

BEST PLACE
TO BUY**DUARTE'S**

—CASH AND CARRY—

Mazola Oil, qt. can	48c
Tuna Fish, White Star, 7-oz. can 2 for	37c
Tomato Sauce, Handy Brand, 6 for	25c
Old Dutch Cleanser, per can	5c
Milk, all brands, 3 for	29c
Crab, Artic Sea, 6 1/2 oz. can	29c
10 lbs. Cane Sugar	49c
Waldorf Toilet Paper, Per roll	5c
Jell-O, all flavors, 2 pkgs. for	15c
Puritan Malt, Special price It's 'All Quality' Because It's 'All Barley'	59c
SEE DUARTE FIRST FOR YOUR FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	
Seedless Grapes, Per lb.	5c
Sweet like Sugar	
Fancy Egg Plant, per lb.	7c
Water Melon, Klondike, per lb.	2 1/2c
We Plug 'Em	
Green Corn, per doz.	25c
Sweet and tender. Large Ears.	
Cantaloupes, good stuff, 6 for	25c
Fancy String Beans, very tender, per lb.	5c

FRESH MILK AND CREAM
FROM NAGLI'S HOME DAIRY**Alvarado News**

By BERNICE BOYD

**AIR SIGN PAINTED
UPON ALVARADO
DAIRY ROOF**

As far as the birdmen are concerned, Alvarado is on the map! Letters fifteen feet high and covering a space of 100 feet, declare to the world at large that "This is Alvarado."

The sign has just been completed under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce. Postmaster Albert Norris being chairman of the committee. It has been placed upon the iron roof of the Joe Avila dairy, just southeast of the center of the town. The building lies east and west and was partly selected for this reason since most of the traffic is north and south. It is also near the railroad, the airmen following the line of the railways in their routes whenever possible.

The Chamber of Commerce accepted the offer of the Fuller Paint company of San Francisco to furnish \$5 worth of paint for the sign. Postmaster Norris was authorized by the Chamber of Commerce to "go ahead and get a good sign." The minimum size of letter requested by the government was eight feet high, while the Alvarado sign reaches 15 feet high and 100 feet long.

Mrs. F. S. Roderick has returned from a vacation spent in Santa Cruz.

Anthony Silva is spending a week's vacation at Santa Cruz.

Leslie Salt boys played the Babb Motors' team Sunday at the home grounds.

F. Paderas is recovering from injuries sustained when his car was thrown off the highway last Tuesday evening when hit by a passing truck.

Mrs. August May, president, will tell the Ladies' Aid at the Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon of her recent airplane journey to Los Angeles.

Mrs. J. M. Scribner will entertain the Birthday Club in Oakland on August 27.

M. P. Munger and three of his children returned Saturday from a vacation at Clear Lake.

(Too Late for Last Week)
The Leslie California Salt Company's Baseball team defeated the John Power's Clothiers team from San Francisco on Sunday, August 4.

The battery for the home team was Joe Roderick, pitcher, and Jess Jacinto, catcher. Due to an injured ankle, Mr. Roderick was taken out in the sixth inning. Ferry and Lazzerine pitched the remainder of the game.

Lawrence Rose, an employee of Ralph's Merchandise Store, in Alvarado has just returned from a week's vacation in Santa Cruz.

C. W. Baird and H. Gage motored to Swanton on Saturday to spend the week end.

J. P. Boyd and his daughter, Miss Bernice Boyd, spent Monday in Stockton on a business trip.

Miss Mildred Nauert was in Oakland Friday.

**Alvarado School Will Spend
\$3,000 In Improvements Soon****Playground Equipment
Musical Instruments
To Be Bought**

Extensive improvements on the playground at the Alvarado school are being planned by the board of trustees to the extent of about \$2,500, and \$300 worth of new musical instruments are to be purchased for the orchestra, according to announcement by Mrs. Walter Robie, clerk of the board.

J. C. Wasley, new principal, states the enrollment is less than it will be a week or two later. The parents evidently not realizing the importance of starting

Mr. and Mrs. W. Richardson, of Broadmoor, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Boyd on Sunday on their return from Santa Cruz.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Laplante, daughters, Dorothy and Willa, and Mrs. J. P. Boyd and daughter, Joan, spent Monday picnicking at Sunol and in Niles Canyon.

Mrs. Pauline Hause, grand matron of the grand chapter of the Order of Eastern Star in the State of California is visiting with Mrs. G. P. Hellwig, the grand conductress, at her home in Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Moyer and son, Louis, spent Sunday at Neptune Beach.

George P. Hellwig was a business visitor in San Francisco, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Santos have moved in to their attractive new stucco bungalow on Vallejo street. Mr. Santos is a contractor connected with the Leslie Salt company.

Miss Lottie Jung, superintendent, opened the Alvarado Sunday School after a summer vacation. Rev. E. L. McElhinney, pastor, is in Canada and will return the first of September.

the children at the first of the term.

A high fence will be built about the playground in the rear, which will also be graded and gravelled. Playground equipment will include a giant stride, a slide and swings.

Two sewing machines are also to be bought for the domestic science class.

Miss Helen Hughes, one of the teachers, is still in Honolulu and Miss Hila Hughes is substituting for her until she arrives.

Mrs. Charlotte Foster will have charge of the vocal music and J. P. McClellan, the instrumental.

**All-Day Service At Alvarado
Library Due To Old Timer**

Alvarado has a unique position in the township when it comes to service at the branch library due to the kindness and accommodation of Albert Norris, librarian. Readers can gain entrance to the library at practically any hour of the day, in spite of the fact that the hours are supposed to be only from two to five in the afternoons and from seven to nine on Tuesday evenings.

It happens that Librarian Norris is also postmaster and the library quarters are in the same building. This makes it possible for Mr. Norris to give a practical aspect to his theory that a library is to be used.

It was also due to his efforts that quarters for both library and postoffice have been recently enlarged and improved. Formerly the library was housed in a small room at the rear of the postoffice. Learning that a residence adjoining and under the same roof might be secured Mr. Norris took steps to bring this about and now the library reading room, joined to the apartment next door by arched openings, is ten by twenty-seven feet larger and the postoffice is increased by a ten by fourteen foot space.

Being an ex-teacher and a student of law, Postmaster Norris is always in demand when a legal document is to be framed by any Alvarado business concern. Being an old-timer and a resident for 30 years, he is called upon for all sorts of services, all the way from seeing that Alvarado is advertised to airmen by adequate signs to posting a notice that the Sunday School will resume classes on a certain date. What the town misses by not having a local newspaper, it gains by being blessed with an accommodating postmaster-librarian.

In a recent article, appearing with one of Jack Williamson's old-timer sketches in the Oakland Tribune, the following was written of this outstanding citizen of Alvarado:

"Albert Norris is an old timer

of the covered wagon vintage. He looks the part so well that one would not be surprised to see him step out of the office and take a sack of mail from a dusty stage and exchange greetings with the Wells Fargo guard.

"Like two thirds of the population of southern California, Norris was born in Iowa. His father seemed to know that he was destined to come to California anyway, so he decided to give him an early start. In 1852, when he was only a year old, his father packed the family belongings into a covered wagon and took the Overland Trail. The party reached Placerville in 1853. Goldmining was more popular than Lindbergh in those days and the father spent the next few years washing gravel in that section of the state. Norris could rock a pan with the best of them when he was ten years old.

" * * * returning to California from Idaho, Norris prospected during the day and studied at night until he qualified as a teacher in the Placerville school. He held this position for eight years and served as justice of the peace at the same time, his school room also serving as his court.

" * * * He later became principal of the school at Colfax and taught there ten years, coming to Alvarado in 1898 to take over the principalship of that school. He was forced to give up the position because of ill health after ten years of service. Later he served three years as a trustee and also two years as a member of the board of trustees of the Washington Union High school.

He has been postmaster of the Alvarado postoffice for more than twelve years and has built the office up from the fourth to third class rating. He helped organize the first Chamber of Commerce and was its secretary. He aided in reviving the old organization a few years ago and is today one of its most active members. He has been a Mason for more than fifty years."

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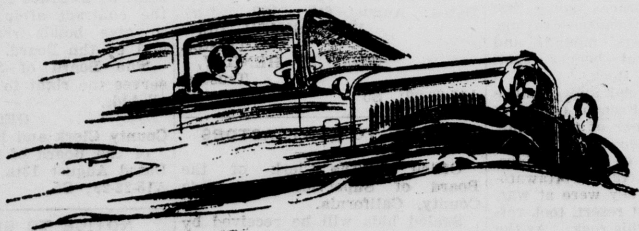
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